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CONSERVE WATER DURING DROUGHT

Everyone is strongly urged to conserve water during this drought to ensure that water supplies remain adequate for drinking, hygiene, food production and other critical uses. Tips on conserving water include:

- ✓ Reduce or eliminate watering of lawns and landscaping.
- ✓ Fix leaky faucets, showers and toilets or replace with WaterSense labeled models.
- ✓ Don't let the water run while brushing your teeth
- Only wash full loads of laundry and dishes
- ✓ Look for more tips at http://epa.gov/WaterSense/our_water/be_the_change.html

All high volume water users are encouraged, if they have not already done so, to evaluate their needs and reduce water use to the fullest extent possible in light of the drought to help protect water supplies for their neighbors and their communities.

People using water from public water systems should seek out any additional specific directives or advice from their local government or water utility about the extent of measures needed to protect local water supplies.

If a private well owner experiences water pressure drops, loss of water, or pump problems, contact one of the licensed pump installers or well drillers listed at http://dnr.wi.gov/org/water/dwg/prih2o.htm

